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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)			Docket Number: 13352/1	
			International Application No.: PCT/GB03/03832	
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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed July 29, 2005, Applicant submits herewith a fully executed Declaration (2 pages), in order to complete the filing requirements for the U.S. national phase of the above-identified PCT application. Applicant also encloses a copy of the Notification as required.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge the **\$65.00 (small entity)** fee to cover the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration and Power of Attorney to Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

Applicants hereby request a **one-month extension of time** to respond to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated July 29, 2005, which set a **two-month** period for response, or until September 29, 2005. The extended period for response expires on October 29, 2005. Please charge **\$60.00** (the **small entity** one-month extension fee) to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon, **Deposit Account No. 11-0600**. Should any additional fees be required, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge them to Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

Applicants also enclose an executed Power of Attorney by Assignee of Entire Interest (2 pages) with this paper, and request that this Power of Attorney be made of record in the above-identified application.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 03/09/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 03/09/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 03/09/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 03/09/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 03/09/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 03/09/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 03/09/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 03/09/2005
- Specification filed on 03/09/2005
- Claims filed on 03/09/2005
- Abstracts filed on 03/09/2005
- Drawings filed on 03/09/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$65 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

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Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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